

# The Adair County News.

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## GROING IN INTEREST.

### The News Merit Contest, To Four Young Ladies in Adair County.

First prize, Ladies Gold Watch.  
Second prize, Gold Bracelet.  
Third prize, Gold Set Ring.  
Fourth prize, Gold Brooch Pin.  
Contest closes Wednesday, April 15th, 1908, at 12 M. Below is given the vote up to 11:30 this Tuesday.)  
Jennie McFarland, Columbia, 5,360  
Mollie Caldwell, Portland, 3,830  
Mary Fesse, Cane Valley, 3,020  
Pearl Breeding, Vester, 2,585  
Nora Bradshaw, Montpelier, 2,235  
Mary Hulse, Columbia, 1,725  
Lula Connor, Glenfork, 1,250  
Alice Walker, Columbia, 985  
Miss Cora Smith has received some votes, but not enough to nominate.

## SOCIAL GATHERING.

The entertainment given by Misses Myrtle Myers and Alice Walker at the spacious and elegant home of the former was a most enjoyable affair, and will be remembered by the Beethoven Club, in whose honor it was given, as one of the most pleasant features of the season. The hostess were untiring in their efforts, entertaining in their usual graceful and charming manner.

The parlors and reception halls were decorated with palms and ferns, with the Class colors—black and old gold in evidence. Musical games and contests were indulged in, and the evening was made still more interesting by the rendition of several recitations and selections in music. The favors were miniature pictures of great musical composers, tied with the colors of the evening.

The Beethoven Class is composed of Mrs. J. E. Grant, Misses Lina Rosenfeld, Elizabeth Holladay, Bettie and Martha Hancock and Margaret Todd. The Class entertained the following gentlemen, refreshments being served: A. S. Chewning, H. T. Baker, J. W. Flowers, Prof. Ohlenmacher, Geo. Lowe, John Lee Walker, Dr. R. Y. Hindman and Dr. J. E. Grant.

## CUTTING AFFRAY.

Information has reached this office that on Tuesday of last week Jim Robinson, a citizen of Russell county, was found in the road, about one mile from Jamestown, seriously cut in the side and other places about the body. He was carried to Jamestown and subsequently conveyed to his home. There is a rumor as to who did the cutting, but definite information of the trouble has not reached this office. It is said that Mr. Robinson will recover.

## "IS THE YOUNG MAN SAFE?"

The above caption was the subject of Eld. Z. T. Williams' discourse last Sunday night. He read for his text the fate of Absalom and drew from the course and manner of his death some pointed lessons, which many of his hearers would profit if they would heed his admonitions. He took up disobedience, licentiousness, the drink habit, cigarette smoking and the carrying of concealed deadly weapons, and pointed the fate that universally befall those who indulged in these ugly and detestable habits. It was an entertaining discourse.

## SERIOUSLY HURT.

Mr. Scott Conover, who was engaged in hauling logs to the mill of the Standard and Hardwood Lumber Company, got very badly hurt last Saturday forenoon. He had reached the mill with logs and in unloading them, his right leg got caught and was badly crushed below the knee by two logs coming together. Dr. Cartwright was called and dressed the bruised limb. Mr. Conover is confined to his room and it will be several weeks before he will be able to work.

LOST:—A scarf pin. Reward. J. E. Grant, Columbia, Ky.

Born, to the wife of C. B. Beard, the 24th, a son. Mother and baby doing well.

Read the Plaining Mill Company's ad in this issue. It is a directory of your wants in its line.

The municipal board is clearing the way for a side walk the full length of the cemetery, running with the pike.

Ladies Aid Society of the Methodist church will give a social at the home of Miss Sallie Field Friday evening, February 14th.

Have made big reductions on men's and boys clothing, over coats. Call and see them and get a bargain.

Heck O. Burton, charged with shooting and wounding Charly Bryant, was given a trial last Friday and promptly acquitted.

## FOR SALE.

Baled hay near my Exchange.  
12-2t G. B. Smith, Columbia, Ky.

Mr. Allen Walker has purchased a half interest in the grocery store owned by Mr. Sam Beck. The style of the firm is Allen Walker & Co. It is our understanding that the stock will be increased.

There will be a meeting of the Adair county farmers institute to day, Wednesday, in the court house, for the purpose of reorganizing and elect delegates to attend the state institute. The meeting is at 2 p. m. don't fail to attend.

You will feel better by paying up and renewing for the News and give some young lady your vote in The News Merit contest. It will help you, help the News and help the young lady. When you say don't forget to vote.

We trust that every subscriber in the broad West, the stirring East, the thrifty North and the Sunny South will read The News Merit Contest, on another page, and not forget to vote for some Adair County young lady. Help some young lady get one of the prizes.

Mr. Bruce Taylor, a native of Adair county, but now a citizen of Metcalfe county, has been appointed by Gov. Wilson as a member of the State Board of Equalization. He is a good man for the position, and we are glad he has been thus recognized.

Mr. W. F. Epperson, who was born here, died in Louisville last week at the age of 38 years. He was a son of Trip and Margaret Epperson, who will be remembered by many old citizens. The deceased was a nephew of Mrs. Marshall Yarberty, who lives near Columbia.

The dwelling house and nearly all its contents, the property of Mr. Geo. E. Powell, was destroyed by fire, near Joppa, this county, last Thursday. The loss is estimated at \$1,000; insurance, \$400. It is supposed that the fire caught from a spark from the chimney which fell upon the roof.

## NOTICE.

I repair and put in good order all kinds of light machinery, musical instruments, watches, clocks etc. Eighteen years experience and guarantee satisfaction in every instance. Prices far below traveling machinists.  
12-1t J. S. Royle, Garlin, Ky.

The Merit contest is now on, and while it is to run until April 15th, yet if you want the capital prize do a little work and begin at once. Get in communication with your friends who are in the West or else where, and ask them to subscribe for the News. They will enjoy the paper and you will be paid for your trouble in the vote given. It takes time to get subscriptions by correspondence, and if you mean to be the successful one, present the News Merit Proposition to those not in touch with it. A new subscriber gets 150 votes for every dollar paid. The ones on our list get 125.

## FROM CAMPBELLVILLE

### The LaGrippe Has Got a Tight Pull on Every Body in the Thriving Town.

Nearly every person you meet in this town has the grip, or are convalescing. The doctors are certainly reaping a bountiful harvest from the effects of his winter nuisance.

Mr. Creed Haskins, who is so well known by all merchants in this and adjoining counties, has been suffering for about five weeks with a neuralgia trouble, is improving nicely, and his numerous friends at all points hope soon to see him out again.

Mr. J. Q. Alexander, another of our hustling commercial tourists, has been confined to his room for several days this week with a severe attack of grip, but was out again yesterday.

Mrs. J. S. Gatton and son, Harry, have been forced to send for the doctor this week on account of grip, but are convalescing rapidly.

Jailer W. T. Blakey and Mr. Willie Cloyd have been in the style this week and have been laid up for repairs on account of the grip.

Mr. C. R. Hoskin, our usually hustling business man, has been suffering for about three weeks with grip, was out again last Wednesday for the first time. Mrs. Hoskins has joined the long list of sufferers as we write this.

To give the editor of the News a faint idea of how prevalent this disease is at present, we desire to state that even editors and ex-editors have caught on to the disease. Mr. Owen McIntire, the editor of The Inquirer and Rufus Matthews, the former editor, are just emerging from an attack, and when editors take on even a "stylish" disease it soon runs out.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Mantz entertained a large number of their many young lady and gentleman friends last night in honor of their guests, Miss Bessie and Glenn Bennett, of Liverpool, Ohio. We are unable to give the list of those who attended the "leap year" party. Refreshments were served.

Mrs. W. M. Jackson entertained a number of her friends at "Lost Heir" Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Mc. C. Good also entertained a few of her friends at her suburban home Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. T. W. Blandford and daughter, Mrs. Annie Miller and son, Master George, have been the guests of Mrs. Annie Wood this week. They returned this morning.

Mr. Walter Wood is on a hunting and fishing tour in Florida, and will be absent about one month.

Cononer H. H. Collins left yesterday morning for Frankfort, having charge of Elmore Harris, colored, sent up for two years for killing Charles Hubbard, also colored, in this city last August. A large portion of the citizens in this city thought the punishment severe on Harris.

A petition has been quietly circulated here for several days for a pardon for Catch Powers, with only fair success. It is a pity poor Mrs. Surratt was hung for a crime no worse than the one with which Powers is charged with and he go free. We suppose it was not the style at that time to get up "petitions." Powers certainly has a hobby for "petitions" for he is not the same fellow who was largely instrumental in "petitioning" the mountain army of one-gunned assassins, murderers, moonshiners, etc., to descend on Frankfort to "peacefully petition" the Legisla-

ture to end the contest? The parties having the petition in charge know who to carry it to here. We understand it contains the name of one Democrat who votes the ticket only occasionally. But what's the use in signing or not signing for there is no doubt in the minds of nearly every one that he will soon be pardoned anyway.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Vaughan left Tuesday morning for Dalhart, Texas, and will be absent about one month on a tour through the South. They go to Dalhart to sell some town lots purchased by them last summer.

Mr. Walter Hobson, of this city, who travels out of Louisville for Armour & Co., was in the wreck last Monday between Louisville and Frankfort, but fortunately, we are proud to state, received no severe injuries, though bruised up some, but he says, not enough bruises for him to sue the railroad company. "Buck" seems to think the blame can be traced to the fact that the train was loaded with a large number of the members of the Legislature and that for this reason the train crew were suffering from a "brain storm."

Both schools here are doing fine. The Baptist Academy now has about 120, and the S. W. Buchanan Collegiate Institute about 100. Good luck to both institutions of learning.

Mr. Owen McIntire, who has been editing The Taylor County Enquirer since the first of last November, will in about two weeks leave for Danville, his former home, where he will engage in the newspaper business. He will be succeeded by Mr. R. D. Thornberry, now editor of the Marion Falcon, Lebanon, who will take charge next Monday.

The Campbellsville Steam Laundry will commence business next Monday morning. This is sure a needed enterprise.

Mr. Walter Hoskins left yesterday to visit friends in Lebanon.

Circuit Court adjourned last Wednesday. It was a dull court and very little "picking" for the lawyers.

Mrs. Flora Chandler, wife of Morgan J. Chandler, deceased, is quite feeble with lung trouble and her friends are exceedingly anxious for her recovery.

## OBEY THE TOWN LAWS.

The new Board of Trustees employed Mr. James A. Willis as Town Marshal, and at the time he took the oath of office he promised to see that all the ordinances of the town were enforced, but as the officials have not rigidly enforced the ordinance obstructing the streets, alleys and square, the Board directed Mr. Willis not to enforce the ordinance until after February 1st, which will give every one an opportunity to remove obstructions.

A representative of this paper was present when Mr. Willis received his instruction from the Board, and we believe that he will see that all ordinances are enforced. It is not his desire, or the desire of the Board to have any one fined, and in order that no one shall overlook the mandates, we call attention to it, believing that no one will purposely disobey an ordinance, or cause the Marshal additional trouble. Therefore, we suggest that all parties remove all wood piles, lumber, boxes, wagons or other things they may have on the public square, streets or alleys of the town. There is not a doubt but the Marshal will do his duty and enforce the ordinances as directed by the Board.

Mr. H. G. Chilson, who enjoys the reputation of doing things right, and who owns a small farm on Pettit's Fork, near Columbia, recently made a gate that defies man or beast. It is made of oak slats, 12 feet wide, 6 feet high, bolted and barred, and decorated on top with up-to-date barbed wire. It is hung to a post set 4 feet in the ground, and is as solid as a dog fight. The winds may come, sunshine and frosts, but that gate will resist all opposition for years.

## A SAD DEATH.

Mrs. Fannie Doboney, who was the wife of Mr. C. H. Doboney, died at her late home on Butler's Fork, last Saturday night at 10 o'clock. A few days ago she became a mother and after the birth of the child pneumonia set up with the result as above stated. Mrs. Doboney was only nineteen years old, and was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Chesnut, of Milltown, and a great niece of Josh, William and James Butler, and had many other relatives throughout the county. She was a young woman highly respected, and her death brought much sorrow, not only to the surviving young husband, but to many relatives and a large circle of friends.

The funeral services were held Sunday afternoon, conducted by Rev. W. H. C. Sandigge, and the interment was near Milltown. There were many present to express their sympathy for those who have been so sorely bereft.

## THE M. & F. HIGH SCHOOL NOTES.

The Beethoven club colors are orange and black.

Misses Mary Williams and Rosa May Conover, Montpelier, Miss Trannie Sandigge, of Bliss, and Mrs. J. E. Grant are new piano pupils.

The harmony class is growing more enthusiastic, as they are taking up new work.

Misses Alice Walker and Betsey Hancock are among the new voice pupils.

The Chorus class will render a musical program at the Methodist church the first Sunday night in February.

A small, but appreciative audience greeted the members of the Beethoven music club on the occasion of their 2nd. recital, given in the studio on the afternoon of January twenty-third. The two departments voice and piano were represented in attractive program of seven numbers, which was well rendered, each student giving evidence of excellent work. The piano solos by Misses Martha Hancock, Bess Holladay, Lina Rosenfeld, Margaret Todd, Betsey Hancock were most charmingly given and keenly enjoyed by all, as was evidence by the generous applause they received. Miss Martha Hancock as she always does, sang delightfully, and in the Lovey Spring, her voice was heard to a fine advantage. Two Eyes of Brown, which was well suited to his voice was sung by Prof. Ohlenmacher with much feeling. One of the most charming features of the afternoon was the delicious oranges served in quite unique manner by Prof. Ohlenmacher. They were a rare species of the Florida orange and quite a curiosity to all present. The quotations read by the members of the club were very much enjoyed by all. The Beethoven club felt very much honored by the presence of Mrs. J. O. Russell, Misses Reed and Trabe Messrs Darnall and Flowers, at their recital Thursday.

The Beethoven club with a few friends was most charmingly entertained last Friday evening by Misses Myrtle Meyers and Alice Walker at Miss Meyers' home. The evening was delightfully spent in musical games and musical contests, Mrs. J. E. Grant being the prize winner. Refreshments were served artistically arranged with the club colors. The favors were miniature pictures of the composers. The readings given by Miss Shannon and the piano numbers by Mr. Ohlenmacher and Miss Margaret Todd were very much enjoyed. Miss Martha and Betsey Hancock will be the next to entertain the club.

## WELCOMED THE PASTOR.

Pastor J. C. Cook, preached his first sermon at Gradyville last Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Sallie B. Wilmore, President of the Ladies Missionary Society welcomed the pastor and Misses Nell Hindman and Maude Wilmore related beautifully. Pastor Cook appreciated the welcome extended and in a few words expressed his thanks for the society and pledged his support. In the business meeting which followed the sermon, Mr. W. C. Yates was elected to the office of deacon.



## ALL THE NEWS

Speaker Gooch has ruled that a majority can elect a United States Senator when a quorum is present. He also stated that in case of a tie he would not vote, as he did not believe he was entitled to two votes.

It is believed that the Thaw trial will end in about three weeks. It is most generally conceded that he will be acquitted. He certainly did a righteous act when he killed Sanford White. The world has been better ever since he quit living in it.

Mrs. Elizabeth Metcalf Halderman, relict of the late W. N. Halderman, who was the principal owner of the Courier-Journal, died last week. She was a member of the Daughters of Confederacy, and took much interest in the organization.

Mr. A. J. Turpin, who was prominent in the affairs of Louisville for thirty years, is dead.

Nat C. Cuerton has announced his candidacy for the Republican nomination for Congress in the Louisville district. He is a little larger than was Tom Thunb, and he has brass to let.

Ex-Senator Jo Blackburn has congratulated State Senator Campbell for violating the instructions of his constituents in voting against Gov. Beckham. "O Jealsum, thou green-eyed jobster."

Senator Nell has introduced a bill providing for annual school of instruction by State Board of Health on tuberculosis, typhoid fever dysentery and all other domestic diseases. All health officers are required to attend.

The Kentucky Legislature has been in session over two weeks and nothing doing up to date.

A mammoth piano manufacturing plant is to be located in Louisville. Over a million dollars will be expended on the plant. It will employ five hundred workman.

The Kentucky Republican machine is for Taft, hence he will get the instructed vote of the State.

Mrs. Ellen Boles, who lived in Glasgow, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. L. B. Botts, in Louisville, last Wednesday. She was 73 years old. The interment was at Glasgow.

## TRIBUTE TO COL. BUTLER.

In honor of Col. Ed Butler, I will say that I moved to this town eleven years ago, 15th of this month with four wagons and teams. He living nearby came to my assistance and showed me kindness that I can never forget. I paid him a visit sometime since and he said he had rather see me come than anybody he knew. I must still add some more. After he moved to the country he often paid me a visit when in town. He was a dear friend, and when I met him on the square he seemed glad to see me. I must say I have lost a friend.

A friend in need is a friend in

deed. So our loss is his gain.  
T. F. Collins

It is said that wheat all over Adair County is looking fine.

Born, to the wife of Chapman Dohoney, Jan. 21, 1908, a daughter. The child only lived a few hours.

Last Thursday was the first real winter day of the season. Wednesday was beautiful, warm, many persons being seen in their shirt sleeves.

In the event of a tie in the News Merit Contest for any of the premiums offered no casting lots will be allowed two premiums just alike will be given.

The News has been informed that the tobacco growers living in the Carmel neighborhood have already engaged the tobacco that they will grow this year, and in some instances money has been advanced upon the coming crops.

Remember that every person who renews his subscription to the News is entitled to 125 votes in the contest for every dollar paid. All new subscribers who pay one dollar are entitled to 150 votes. The contest is on. Bring or send in your voting material.

Miss Edna Lewis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lewis, this place, has accepted a position in the Adair County Clerk's office. Miss Edna is a popular young lady, possessing fine business qualifications, and there is not a doubt but she will make Mr. Stults a very efficient assistant.

Every family in Adair County ought to take The News, not because of its political tendencies, but because they should keep in close touch with the happenings of this section. Not only in Adair, but adjoining counties as well, The News works for the interest of Southern Kentucky.

The Archibald Stone Company has located at Roley, this county. It is a large plant and it will take thirty hands to run it. A great deal of timber is now on the yard and the machinery will be in operation in a few weeks. It is a enterprise and will bring a considerable lot of money to the Roley neighborhood.

## EXTRA POPULAR LOGS.

Mr. Jas. T. Page, of this place, is the owner of 2,200 large popular logs which are now lying, in one pile, in W. T. Ellis yard, on Sulphur creek, thirteen miles from Columbia. These are probably the best lot of logs in Adair county. They will be cut and the lumber placed on the market at an early day.

We understand that a series of meetings will commence at Columbia in the near future. It is not known who will do the preaching, but as soon as all arrangements have been perfected the people will be notified through the News. We have ministers here at home, as able as any one who might come from a distance. Why not organize a choir, selecting the best singers in town and begin the meeting.

## AT REST.

An Aged and Respected Lady Passes Over the River of Death.

FUNERAL SERVICES THURSDAY FORENOON

Last Thursday morning at 4:50 o'clock, Mrs. Sarah E. Price, wife of Mr. T. R. Price, peacefully closed her eyes in death. She was 71 years old the 8th of last October, and although an invalid for many years her life was spared to a good old age. She was married to her surviving husband December 29, 1868, and to them were born seven children, four of whom preceded her to the grave. The surviving children are Rufus and W. T. Price and Mrs. A. W. Paxton. The deceased was a daughter of Mr. W. M. Waggener, "Uncle Billy," as he was familiarly called, and two of her brothers live in Columbia, John and Nathan Waggener.

When quite young the deceased made a profession of her faith in Christ and lived a devoted religious life until final dissolution. When the end came she was surrounded by her husband, children, relatives and friends, her death being like one going to sleep.

The deceased was devoted to her family and took a great interest in the welfare of her children, and it was for them and her aged husband that she desired to live, but she was ready to meet her God. She will not only be missed by the immediate family, but by the entire neighborhood in which she so long resided.

The funeral services were held at Union church Thursday forenoon, conducted by Rev. A. R. Kasey, of the Methodist church, who was her pastor, assisted by Rev. W. H. C. Sandidge, of the Presbyterian church. There were many relatives and friends present out of respect and sympathy for those who have lost their best friend. May the God of mercy comfort the surviving companion and the children, who have lost a dear mother.

It is not generally known that Rev. J. C. Cook, the pastor of the Baptist Church, this place, is somewhat of an artist. With an ordinary lead pencil he makes beautiful and attractive pictures and takes a great delight in the work. We have one of his drawings on exhibition in the News office. It requires only a glance to be convinced that he would make an artist whose reputation would spread far and wide were he to devote some attention to this very delicate avocation.

## A Cure For Malaria.

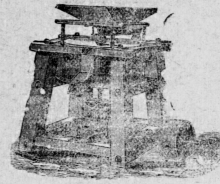
"I have found a cure for the misery malaria poison produces," says R. M. James, of Louisville, S. C. "It's called Electric Bitters, and comes in 50 cent bottles. It breaks up a case of chills or a bilious attack in almost no time; and it puts yellow jaundice clean out of commission." This great tonic medicine and blood purifier gives quick relief in all stomach, liver and kidney complaints and the misery of lame back: sold under guarantee at T. E. Paul's drug store.

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## VALE, OREGON.

## Editor News:

After a long silence I will send you a few items. I have been in the mountains or foot hills all Summer and Fall. I came to this point two weeks ago, and received a copy of the Adair County News yesterday, the first I had seen for some time.

When the news of the election reached me I was shocked. I suppose that all the good accomplished by that grand old party, the Democratic party, is lost. Certain men claiming to be Democrats have ruined the party. While I admire that gifted writer, Hon. Henry Watterson, I think he is making a great mistake in his efforts to defeat the brainy young ex-Governor Beckham. But I do hope that every man in Kentucky claiming to be a Democrat will fall into line and help to elect that great man, W. J. Bryan for President next November, thus redeeming the grand old Commonwealth; for I still believe that old Kentucky is a Democratic State. If we can get what is called our able men together I am sure we will win.

I am now on the shady side of life, and realize that my pilgrimage here below will soon be ended, and it would do me so much good to see Bryan elected President and Joseph Folk, of Mississippi, Vice President.

I am now living in Vale, Malheur county, Oregon. I have been outside of civilization for over one year, and it makes me feel good to get back and mingle with humans. While I have plenty of papers to read, none of this affords me as much pleasure as the Adair County News. While it is true that some people are acting as heathens, yet I am proud of my native State; and my dear friend, I am glad that you have stood firm and worked faithfully for the good Democratic party and the advancement for every thing that is good.

J. H. Holladay.

FROM BROCK TEXAS.

## Editor News:

S. W. Brashears and wife gave a reception dinner recently. Your correspondent and husband and Miss Effie Baccus, our orphan girl, who is living with us, had the pleasure of dining with them. There was a large crowd and some fine music was rendered.

Churches and Sunday Schools of this place, are in a flourishing condition.

The public school is being taught by Prof. F. W. Willson. The attendance is large and pupils progressing nicely.

Several business houses and two churches have been erected here recently.

Born to the wife of S. R. Brashears recently, a son.

C. H. Davis died at his home near Brock, recently. He was a pioneer citizen, and liked by everybody. He was a primitive Baptist and an ex-Confederate.

## THANKS.

## Editor of the News:

The time of my paper was out the first of January. I think I must have the News, as I am at home and scarcely ever get out to gather any news. We had a fine Christmas, enjoying Santa Claus' good things. Love is the real Santa Claus, for it is love which brings the joys of a Christmas remembrance.

On Christmas eve we received a large box from Lexington, and in it was a large Christmas fruit cake, a loaf cake, oranges, grapes, pine apples, packages of figs, dates, prunes, raisins, bananas and all kinds of nuts. Next came a large box from C. H. McMullan, of Blackwell, Oklahoma, and in it was another large fruit cake, the finest I ever saw, also candies of various kinds, and a lot of other good things to eat that will be a great luxury and help to us. What is a rarer treat than those cakes such as are made with raisins, currants, candied citron and the purest spices? A black cake is the best X-mas present—a gift more expressive of faithfulness and good feeling, cannot be given.

I desire to express my thanks through the News to those who remembered us.

Nancy Duvall

Cane Valley.

## TALK WITH YOUNG MEN.

The young man with limited means, who has but a few hundred dollars to begin life with, or perhaps has nothing but a pair of strong and willing hands, we would say to all such young men that the farm is the best place in the world. Do not be afraid of toil but set an example to the weak, lazy loiterer about town by putting your hand to the plow.

If you are a young, married man then the farm offers still greater inducements. We know it will cost your young wife some pangs to separate from friends and home in the town, but if she is a true woman she will do it without a murmur, for the battle of life is an earnest one, and we must each sustain our part. Do not expect to begin your married life in the same style that your father and mother are now enjoying in their old age, with the fruits of many years of toil; but be contented to begin humbly.

Plant, and sow, and reap; build your dwellings, and garnish them about with fruits and flowers; promote agriculture, one of the great institutions of God; and when your sons and daughters grow up like olive plants around your table, while you fail not to remember their physical wants, remember also to supply their intellectual food the mind craves; let them have good books and papers and proper recreation, that they may not imbibe the false notion that farming is drudgery, and every farmer and farmer's wife a drudge.

As we look about us, how

many sons and daughters of wealthy farmers we see who despise their surroundings, and only look on "father" as a very necessary machine to coin money for their expenditure, and "mother," who has labored for them every day since they were born, as a very useful automaton for doing cooking and general house work.

When you are tilling the rich soil think how much worthier is the cause you are prosecuting than to crowd into some already overstocked business or profession in your home town, with only one object in view—to have only white hands and immaculate clothing, and to be always struggling with your limited means to keep up with those in outward seeming who are much wealthier than yourselves.

President Roosevelt is said to have predicted to callers at the White House that Secretary Taft would be nominated for the Presidency on the first ballot. The President is quoted as saying that Secretary Taft would have in the convention a solid South, a solid West and probably a solid New England; that he would have many votes from the Eastern States and probably a majority off the New York delegation.

## THE LARGEST ANIMAL.

The sulphur bottom blue whale, as it is better called by the Norwegians, is not only the largest living animal, but the largest that has ever lived reaching a length of eighty feet or very rarely a little more. Whales grow much larger than this in books and newspapers, but in actual life not one in a dozen even of this species attains a length of eighty feet. The popular idea of a whale is that it is a clumsy animal, but as shown by models it has the graceful lines of a yacht. The following figures give an idea of the size and weight of a large whale:

Extreme length, 70 feet; circumference at shoulder, 35 feet; fluke notch to shoulder, 51 feet 2 inches; tip of nose to eye, 16 feet 2 inches; length of skull, 19 feet 6 inches; breadth of skull, 9 feet 3 inches; weight of skull, 3 tons; length of jawbone, 21 feet; weight of jawbone, 1 ton; length of flipper, 10 feet 6 inches; weight of flipper, 750 pounds; across flukes 16 feet 5 inches; weight of flukes, 1,900 pounds; weight of flesh, 40 tons; weight of bone, 8 tons; weight of blubber, 8 tons; weight of viscera, estimated, 3 tons; weight of blood, 2 tons; weight of whalebone, three-fourths of a ton.

The total weight of a whale is about sixty tons and unusually large and fat individuals must reach at least sixty-five tons. The largest animal of the past so far discovered is the great dinosaur brontosaurus and this big reptile weighed about thirty-eight tons.—Museum News.

I have a lot of men's and boys long Ulster overcoats that I am closing out at cost. W. L. Walker.



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## DEMOCRATIC TICKET

For United States Senate—Gov. J. C. W. Beckham

There is no danger of "Night-Riders" in this part of the State—the roads too bad.

It stands as a foregone conclusion with some doubts attached, that Bryan will lead the Democracy in the next Presidential match.

Hon. W. J. Bryan's visit to Frankfort and his address to the Legislature seems to have strengthened the opposition to Mr. Beckham rather than weaken it.

Six Democrats are preventing the election of Mr. Beckham and it is more than probable that no one will be elected this session. Such Legislatures are deepening the desire of the people in every state for election of U. S. Senators by popular vote.

When Cleveland was charged with bottling up prosperity he and all his theories went to the wall. The people wanted a change. Nobody wants present conditions to prevail or longer continued, but secretary Taft, the President and the big Republican ring.

The country is now threatened with wild speculation founded on preference and backed by wind as to who the next Republican Presidential nominee will be. Taft seems to be in the lead and stands for all the theories and policies of Mr. Roosevelt. For the country's sake and the people's good the Republicans ought to select another man—its not pleasant to think about. Should he be nominated and elected and continue the present ruler.

Hon. W. O. Bradley never got much politically, so we hear, but we never heard any one say that he did not seek it. The Republican members in the Legislature are bound under the unit rule—vote as one—and Mr. Bradley is the caucus nominee. Why such a compact? What good can come to the State or to their party when independence is tied down in obedience to an office seeker. On every proposition they must vote as one although the varied interests of the different sections which they represent are vastly different. Independence of thought, action and interests pooled and directed practically by one man is not what the people want, not what the Republican party desires and not what they will endorse.

There is no doubt but business in most sections of the country is improving; that the real force, or dangerous period of the panic has passed but the improvement

is slow and will continue to be slow for an indefinite period unless the purse strings are loosened. The country cannot reach a prosperous stage so long as the banks refuse to lend money. Men who are able to run business entirely on their own money are able to shut their shop or factory in times of depression and wait for better days, but those who are not so well fortified represent the great bulk of business, and are willing to keep moving on small profits, but they must have money to do so. It is not over production that has blighted business; it is not due to too many laborers that New York has 100,000 idle men, and other cities and sections their prorate of unemployed, it is for the lack of money. The banks all over the country are gaining in deposits, and if loans can be secured on reasonable time and security, business in every line will soon take on new life. If the banks continue to be rigid and too exacting, the dull season will be prolonged, and much suffering be endured by those seeking work and finding none. Loosen the purse strings and business will move.

## MT. PLEASANT.

The weather is fine, and the farmers are taking advantage of it.

Mr. S. C. Hood and son are running their saw mill this week.

A social was given this week at Mrs. Sallie M. Shepherds, in honor of Mr. Fred Cundiff, who is at home from Campbellsville on a holiday.

Mrs. Pinkie Murrell and Miss Katie were the guests of Mrs. S. C. Hood and daughter, this week.

Mr. Henry Cundiff has moved his grist mill back to the old stand—at home, near Mt. Pleasant. We will all be glad to hear the whistle blow, for that means good bread to us.

Mr. W. F. Squires and daughter, Miss Kate, visited the former's sister, Miss S. L. Squires, of this place, last Saturday.

Our sympathy went out to the sorrowing family of the late Col. Ed Butler, for while their family ties are broken, we also have lost a good citizen, and an obliging neighbor.

Who is going to take advantage of leap year? Let us old maids be up and doing.

The children of Mr. Creed Harmon gave him a surprise dinner last Sunday, that being his birthday.

Mr. Lucian Hendrickson has been on the sick list for some days.

Mr. James Hood had the misfortune to get a severe cut in his knee last week.

Mr. T. B. Lyon is spending a few weeks in Lebanon, Ky., visiting his cousin, Mrs. Josie Rhinehart.

Bro. Z. T. Williams filled his appointment at this place last Sunday.

Mr. Mont Conover and wife were in our midst last Sunday.

The roads are in a very bad condition—in some places travel is difficult.

The school at Cane Valley is said to be in a growing and prosperous condition. This place furnishes only one pupil—Mr. Claud Cundiff.

## CREELSBORO.

Health of the community is very good.

Several of the young folks of this place attended the singing at Union Chapel last Sunday.

Mrs. J. L. Mann spent Friday and Saturday in Columbia.

F. M. Barnes who has been on the sick list for a few days is improving.

Mrs. A. Perryman who has been visiting her mother near Inroad has returned home.

Quite a large crowd of young folks attended the leap year party at Mr. Berry Buster's and all seemed to have a delightful time.

Miss Bessie Barnes of this place is visiting her sister Mrs. H. Dunbar at Bryan this week.

Mr. B. F. Leach, who has been quite sick for a few days is able to be out again.

Miss Effie Blankenship and Miss Dona Helm, of Helm, were in town Monday.

Miss Ada Black of this place is visiting her sister Mrs. Addie Jones, near Burkesville.

## BRYAN.

The people of the community are getting along nicely. Some farmers have already started their plows, preparatory for another crop.

Wheat in this country looks very poorly.

Chas. Campbell bought 4 head of cattle from F. M. Barnes, paying fair prices.

Herschel Dunbar is making preparations to go on the road again in the interest of Robinson Bros., & Co., Louisville, Ky., who will sell as cheap hardware as any concern.

Barnes & Co., are receiving some drygoods and groceries this week.

We notice that W. W. Owens, of Font Hill, Ky., has contracted to cut J. E. Snow 50 cords of wood. Lucky for you old boy, but I'm afraid Mr. Snow will smell frost several times before he gets to use any of the wood.

Hawk Wilkerson passed here en route to Bakerton to take up some staves.

## ROWES X ROAD.

Waco McKinley has gone to Indiana where he has a job.

Tom Hunt's little girl, who got her thigh broken five months ago, cannot walk without crutches.

Mrs. Ollie Wolford's condition is not improved.

A series of meetings will begin at the Oak Grove Church the second Sunday in February, conducted by Lynn and Bowmar, of Casey county. I ask all Christians to pray that we may have a good meeting.

Miss Mollie Selby is on the sick list.

The wheat crop looks well for January.

Farmers are busy plowing, getting ready for another crop.

Bro. Malone has just closed a ten days meeting at Beech Grove, on Russell's creek, with eight conversions and eleven additions to the United Brethren Church.

The widow, Sarah Hadley's only son is dead. She has three

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fatherless children and needs help. Send her a dollar.

Aubie Walkup, whose death you reported last week, was buried on Wm. Wheat's farm, near Denmark. Before he passed away he made a profession of his faith in Christ.

FROM MIAMI.

I will write this for the benefit of my friends, schoolmates and pupils, who care to know how we like our new home and neighbors.

I must say we are delighted with both. Our neighbors have certainly been nice to us in every respect. We have had a number of callers, and all have made us feel welcome in this vicinity, yet I should enjoy seeing all my old friends at Gradyville, whom I shall always have a tender place in my heart for. Come and see me, all of you, and we will welcome you as we would the flowers in May.

I am glad to know the L. W. T. S. is doing so well, and having such large attendance, yet room for plenty more. I regret that I cannot be with you this term, but you have my best wishes, and I shall never cease to praise the great, great Institution, and what little I know, is due to the Normal Instructor, Prof. R. R. Moss. I trust that all the normal students will put their shoulders to the wheel and come out with the honors of a first class certificate in May. I wish I could have heard how all the pupils came out last year. I failed in May, made a second in June and a first in July, my average being ninety and seven elevenths per cent, so if at first you don't succeed, try, try again.

We have a nice little school here this Winter, which is being taught by Prof's Grimsley and Ennis. I made the school a visit last Friday afternoon, and I think the people should feel honored to have secured the services of these intelligent men.

A protracted meeting has just closed at this place, which was conducted by Rev. Bonnie. A number were converted, as well as the church and neighborhood being revived.

Miss Vivian Shuffit and Maud Judd were the guests of Misses Pearl and Theresa Dowell, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Johnson royally entertained the young people of this community last Saturday night with a grand social. Every one reports a fine time.

Mr. T. W. Dowell was in Louisville last week selling tobacco.

Mr. Dan Russell and family are confined to their rooms with gripe.

Mr. Claud Whitlock, who is at

## WANTED 700 LIVE RED and GRAY FOXES

HEALTHY, good condition, not crippled. Will pay \$2.00 each for RED FOXES; \$1.25 each for GRAY FOXES. Will pay above prices at your express office, or any mail carrier coming into Campbellsville, Ky., when crated light and safe, with new tin cup for water. Never use an old tin can as the rust kills them. Feed them chicken, fresh beef, or rabbit (no salty food). Will pay more alive than fur dealers pay for skins. Write me about how many you will be able to get. NO CRIPPLED FOXES WANTED. Foxes may be delivered at the following places:

Coley Bros., Absher  
L. R. Cleff, Kniffley  
T. H. Skags, Mac  
Reed & Miller, Columbia  
S. S. Goode, Casey Creek  
Bob Wilson, Cane Valley  
Joe Marshall's barber shop, Greensburg

W. T. HODGEN  
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tending school here, spent last Saturday and Sunday with his parents near Thurlow.

Misses Minnie Hanks, Alice and Louise Dowdy have been out of school for a few days on account of colds.

Miss Myrtle Wilcoxson was the guest of Berta Dowell Thursday night.

Mr. B. W. Penick has been confined to his room several days.

Miss Mamie Wilcoxson, of Fry, was the guest of her cousin, Myrtle Wilcoxson, last Sunday night.

There! I suspect the editor is already yawning, but let me tell you what I heard some one say the other day. A gentleman made the remark that the Adair County News was a fine paper, but not so good as a few years ago—"too much advertising," he said. But I think your paper O. K., and enjoy reading the advertisements myself. Please allow me to wish you many returns of the season and great prosperity for you and our great paper. If I have not been too tiresome will write again perhaps. C. D.

All accounts are now due and must be settled. If you have not got the money don't wait to be called on but come in and settle. W. L. Walker.



# The News Merit Contest

## Be up and Doing, and Get a Valuable Prize!

On the 15th day of April, 1908, The News will give to **FOUR YOUNG LADIES IN ADAIR COUNTY** the following premiums: To the one receiving the largest number of votes (as below stated)

**A Beautiful Gold Watch,** 20 year guarantee case, Elgin Movements—  
An accurate time keeper.  
To the second **A Gold Bracelet;** Third, **A Beautiful Set Ring;**  
And to Fourth **A Gold Brooch.**

### Conditions of Contest

For every dollar paid on Subscription, whether to settle arrearage or to advance Subscription, **125 VOTES WILL BE ALLOWED.**

For every New Subscriber paying \$1.00, **150 VOTES.**

For less than a dollar, a vote for each cent, whether new or old subscriber. **FIVE HUNDRED VOTES WILL BE REQUIRED** to place anyone in nomination, after which any number of votes will be accepted and placed to her credit.

No one directly or indirectly connected with The News will be admitted to the Contest.

The name of every contestant and the exact number of votes to her credit will be published each week so any one, who desires, may keep up with the contest.

The ballots will be filed away, and in the event of a close finish, will be produced to satisfy any doubts.

No one connected with this office will espouse the cause of any one contestant—It is a Merit Contest and must be determined by the activity of the contestants and not by any solicitation or work on the part of anyone connected with The News.

Every article offered is genuine and guaranteed. Call at Paul's drug store and see the articles and be convinced that The News is offering meritorious gifts for meritorious results. Nominations are now in order. Fill out the following:

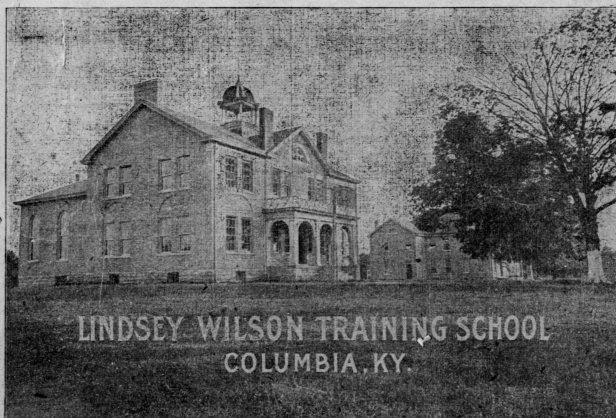
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..... Votes.

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### PERSONAL

Willie Feese is on the sick list.

Mr. W. R. Lyon was here last Friday.

Mr. Geo. W. Thomas was here this week.

Mr. A. G. Norris was here last Wednesday.

Hon. G. L. Perryman spent Sunday in Columbia.

Mr. Tyler Marshall, Campbellsville, was here Friday night.

Mrs. E. W. Barnett returned to her home in Corbin last week.

Mrs. Geo. Herfford, who has been quite sick, is improving.

Miss Jennie McFarland, is visiting relatives in Russell county.

Mr. R. L. Marshall, Campbellsville, was here a few days ago.

Mrs. T. R. Stultz has been on the sick list for several days.

Mrs. T. L. Upton, of Glenville, visited Mrs. J. H. Young last week.

Dr. Z. T. Gabbert, of Casey Creek, was in Columbia last Thursday.

Mrs. Geo. H. Nell and daughter, Gradyville, visited in Columbia last week.

Mr. E. B. McLean, Glasgow, was here Friday. He represents a Nashville shoe house.

Mr. R. L. Durham, State's Attorney in the Greensburg district, was here two days of last week.

Mr. L. C. Hurt, who makes his home in Cleburne, Texas, is visiting relatives and friends in Adair county.

Mr. Garvin Rowe of Niles Okla, visited the families of Mr. W. T. McFarland and Mr. F. T. Smith last week.

Mr. R. E. Lloyd, an attorney of Jamestown, who has been seriously ill with typhoid fever, is reported some better.

Mr. C. M. Herfford, wife and children, of Bliss, visited his parents, Mr. Mrs. Geo. Herfford the last of the week.

Mrs. Susie Wilson, Indianapolis, Ind., and Mrs. Letha Wilson, Moody, Ky., are visiting Mrs. R. B. Wilson, Cane Valley.

Mr. R. G. Woods, cashier of the Russell Springs Bank, and his sister, Miss Mattie, were here Sunday, en route home from a visit to Garrard county.

Misses Clyde and Laura Herfford visited at Bakerton last week. While there they went on a boat excursion and had most delightful time. They also attended the Davis-Waggener wedding.

Mr. Moore Montgomery, of Esto, was in Columbia a few days ago. He informed the News that he weighed his two twin boys, Bryan and Beckham, before leaving home and that they tipped the beam, twenty pounds each.

Mr. W. W. Dickinson, of Excelsior Springs, Mo., is visiting his mother and relatives in this county. He has been in Missouri for 24 years, and this is his third visit to the old home. Mr. Dickinson will remain in the county until the first of April, when he will return to his Western home.

### LOCALS

All notes and accounts owing me are now due and I need the money. If you have not settled your account please do so at once or you will receive a statement. W. L. Walker.

#### FIVE YEARS.

Ben Milan, one of the negro boys who broke into Russell & Co's. store, was tried Monday, the jury taking the case this (Tuesday) morning. A verdict was rendered in a short time, giving him five years in the penitentiary. The other two boys, Geo Campoll and Jo Henry McAlary will be tried this week.

#### FARM FOR SALE.

I will sell my farm one mile from Neatsburg church and school house, on Bryants creek, in Adair county, containing 95 acres. A good two story house, here and also three small tracts of timber land, for particulars see W. F. Ne t Garlin Ky, or Frank Hardwick Neatsburg. 10-3t B. T. Neat.

### L. W. T. S. NOTES.

Tyler Wright visited his parents at Spurlington from Friday until Sunday. He was accompanied by J. A. Moor-man.

Miss Katie Murrell was detained from school last week on account of sickness.

During the fine weather last week the very industrious and enthusiastic members of the Athletic Club were busy getting the grounds in good condition for base ball games. They intend to do some practicing as soon as the weather permits and hope to have some good games in the Spring.

Miss Frons Christie visited at her home near Knifley Saturday and Sunday.

Rev. Cecil Basham filled his appointment at Carmo on Friday night and at Clear Spring on Sunday.

Several of the students are absent because of sickness, but are improving and expect to be in school again in a few days.

Rev. T. F. Barber, pastor of Pellyton circuit, conducted chapel exercises one morning last week.

Last Saturday night the three societies met in regular session. The Columbia and Frogge societies have decided to give a public debate in about two weeks.

Miss Stella Stephenson and Mr. Holt, of Russell county enrolled Monday. There were some other new pupils whose names we did not learn.

### PAID LIST.

The following subscribers have paid since last issue:

Soloman Turpin, Eld. Z. T. Williams, J. R. Hollady, Myrtle, Pollard E. C. Ross, Mary J. Murrell, J. R. England, J. S. Breeding, Ethel Pike W. H. Parsons, G. A. Bradshaw, J. R. Royse, J. L. Hutchinson, J. Nick Conover, J. R. Carnes, J. T. Kemp, R. E. Cook, S. W. H. Petty, Mary A. Brockman, C. G. Nall, F. W. McQuarry, Chas. G. Gill, D. K. Pelley, Mrs. J. B. Schunck, Clem Coomer, J. W. Patterson E. M. Burton, W. T. Cook, Mrs. J. S. Coles, Rolling Browning, Wm. Higgenbottom, A. A. Clayton, Cyrus Campbell, L. P. Williams, U. H. Kelpatrick, Miss Sallie Stewart, Mrs. Lillie Moore, A. M. Petty, Mrs. Clayton Bell, Tom Lester, John S. McFarland, Solomon McFarland, J. P. Todd, W. G. Coffey, L. E. Bradley, Mrs. Mary Harvey, A. D. Coy, Mrs. J. S. Butler, Haskins Stapp, T. J. Wheeler, J. W. Coy, Mrs. E. W. Barnett, F. W. Shirley, W. L. Fletcher, S. F. White, E. H. Hughes, Jo Coffey, S. D. Crenshaw, Claud Allen, R. L. Allen, Dr. Jas Triplett, J. F. Patterson, J. T. Goodman, Thos. Bybee, J. I. Ingram, Sam T. Lester, Mrs. Neal Marshall, S. R. Ford, Dolphus Murrey, G. W. Cook, John Combest.

The Postmaster General has made a sweeping order, one we do not endorse, one that is not warranted by the constitution as we understand it, but we are forced to obey it. At any rate we have till April 1st to settled with all subscribers a year in arrears before the high rate of postage becomes effective. If you have reason to believe yourself indebted to the News a dollar send it in and you will be properly credited, but you will get a statement just as soon as your account can be reached which will give you the exact amount due.

Mr. Thos H. Poore, formerly of Camp Knox, well-known in Columbia, now a citizen of Bowling Green, has been working for the Commonwealth Insurance Company for some time, doing a good business. His proficiency has brought about advancement, and he is now local superintendent. A Bowling Green paper says Mr. Poore is popular, energetic and intelligent, and the business of the company could not have been placed in better hands.

J. D. Pennyneff bought an ironwood sapling to the News office last Monday that was less than an inch in diameter and a little over 25 feet in height. It was taken from the farm of Mr. R. K. Young, near town. It is proof of fertility and shows that the soil is so strong that there is no time for spreading the strength of the soil pushing upward so rapidly. Such a sapling is a curiosity.

#### PREACHING NEXT SUNDAY.

W. H. C. Sandidge, Union.  
J. F. Roach, Harrods Fork.  
J. F. Barger, Beach Grove.  
Z. T. Williams, Cane Valley.  
J. G. Cook, Columbia.  
J. M. Pierce, Clear Spring.  
A. R. Kasey, Columbia.  
T. J. Wade, Milltown.  
J. A. Johnston, Picketts Chapel.



## COBURG.

Circuit Court is in session at Campbellsville and a number of our neighbors of Taylor are attending.

Corn is selling at \$2.75 to \$3. per barrel, and still hogs on foot are selling at less than 4 cents. Just how long the contrast will hold out will depend upon the pleasure of the big packing houses and the willingness of the farmers to be duped.

Owen Hardesty was here Friday with cattle and lambs to be shipped from Campbellsville Saturday.

Land owners throughout this corner of Adair are growing considerably about the proposed raises in the Assessor's list by the board of Supervisors.

I forgot to mention in my last report that Mr. R. L. Faulkner had moved his family from his Sulphur Springs residence to his property on the pike bought from Senator Jarvis.

The petition asking the Governor to pardon Caleb Powers and being circulated throughout the State is receiving the signatures of almost every citizen at this place.

W. G. Dudgeon went on the Louisville tobacco breaks last week and had over 80,000 pounds of his tobacco sold at prices satisfactory. He says that his purchases and handling will amount to about 165,000 pounds. This tobacco was principally raised in Adair and brought the growers an average of \$7.00 per hundred.

## A Higher Health Level.

"I have reached a higher health level since I began using Dr. King's New Life Pills," writes Jacob Springer, of West Franklin, Maine. "They keep my stomach, liver and bowels working just right." If these pills disappoint you on trial, money will be refunded at T. E. Paul's drug store. 25c.

## WEBB'S X ROADS.

We are getting our first taste of real Winter now, and fuel and feed will soon be at a premium.

Considerable sickness is in this vicinity just now, but no very serious cases.

The schools in this section have closed—Miss Hester Foley at Jericho, and L. C. Richards at Owenstown, closing the 10th, and E. W. Webb at Poplar Grove, the 3rd. The indications are that these have all been successful terms.

Mrs. Mary C. Lucas lost a valuable milch cow last week. It choked to death.

Mr. Belmont Foley, who has been visiting his parents here, has returned to his home in Illinois.

During the holidays Mr. Chester Poppellwell and Miss Lizzie Foley eloped, and were married at Indianapolis Ind. The bride is 14, and the groom 24.

Col. L. T. Neat was here Thursday. Tom looks familiar on the road.

Mr. J. E. Humble and family have removed to Russell Springs for the Winter, to send their children to school.

Mr. J. L. Foley, of this place, is in school at Russell Springs. Levi is a promising young man, and we trust that success may

# Home Treatment

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attend his efforts.

Mr. S. G. Tarter will teach a singing school at New Friendship, beginning Sunday, January 19, continuing 12 days. Mr. Tarter is well and favorably known here as a teacher of music, and we are glad that he is with us.

Mr. Tom Shepherd, who has been confined to his bed for some time with a serious illness, is, we are glad to say, improving, and we hope to see him on foot soon.

We notice that a petition to the Governor in behalf of Caleb Powers, is being presented to the people. All we have heard from Powers and his supporters since the arrest of Powers, has been, "give me a fair trial," and now that he can get any kind of a trial he wants, they are afraid to risk it, and ask a pardon, though they fail to say how any one can be pardoned for a crime he never committed. "Oh, consistency, thou art a jewel."

## RUGBY.

We are having fine weather and farmers are busy.

Mrs. A. Simpson is on the sick list.

Miss Annie Bardin is visiting her parents at Chance.

Mrs. Alice Anderson and Ella England, who have been visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Gaston, have returned to their home in Oklahoma.

Several young people attended the meeting at Antioch Sunday.

W. R. Royse visited relatives at Joppa last week.

## ABSHER.

Cooley Brothers have moved their saw mill from this place to Casey Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Dillingham and daughter, Audra, visited their daughter, Mrs. Owen Hendrickson, of Casey county, Saturday and Sunday.

Eld. Z. T. Williams filled his regular appointment at Mt Pleasant Sunday.

The social at Mr. Robt. Humphress' Saturday evening was largely attended. All report the evening well spent.

Miss Ollie Russell, a L. W. T. S. student, visited her parents, from Saturday until Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Williams visited her parents, Mr. J. B. Russell Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Mattie Evans, of Neatsburg, is spending a week at her cousin's, N. R. Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Johnston visited Mr. C. C. Russell, of Watson.

You naturally would prefer to treat yourself at home, for any form of female trouble, wouldn't you? Well, it can be done. No reason why you should not be able to relieve or cure your suffering, as thousands of other women have done, by proper use of the Cardui Home Treatment. Begin by taking

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## GO SLOW.

In haste there's waste, in leisure luck,  
For wise ones tell us so,  
You know the tortoise beat the hare!

Although he traveled slow  
Then 'f upon time's turbid tide  
Your boat you'd safely row,  
Look out for breakers just ahead,  
Keep pulling, but go slow.

When you have climbed upon the heights  
Where fortune's breezes blow,  
Don't claim the country all your own,  
Be cautious and go slow.

Nor should you pose as panic proof  
For either friend or foe,  
Let moderation be your guide  
Be prudent, and go slow.

Though fame lies fawning at your feet  
Great honors to bestow,  
Don't let your neighbors find it out,  
Keep quiet and go slow.

Although you very pretty be,  
Don't try to make a show,  
Remember beauty fades away.  
Just bear it and go slow.

If you would gain the happy land  
Where milk and honey flow,  
Don't faint on Jordan's rugged way,  
Have courage, but go slow.

And when you reach the honey ponds  
Where fatter trees all grow,  
Don't rush right in and drown yourself,  
Have honey, but go slow.

J. T. Jones,  
Montpelier, Ky.

## SLAVES OF GOLD.

Who are the leaders in our best society, generally speaking? Why, a man may carry a whole library in his head, and if his coat be seedy and his pocket empty he is nowhere; while a brainless top whose attire is faultless, and who carries a full purse, is a first rate, smart fellow. What chance has a young lady a little out of style, who has to earn her own living, to shine in society by the side of one of our fashionable ladies whose papa is a millionaire? Socially we are the slaves of gold. Old fashioned people look at it in the old fashioned way, and say it is all wrong. And so it is; but it is a fact that stares us in the face that those who are worth the most are considered as of the most worth. After all, perhaps the wisest man was right when he said "The love of money is the root of all evil."

We know from sad experience that it is very inconvenient to be poor, but no man is poor who has a happy home and it does not require lace curtains or velvet carpets to make a home happy.

## THE OLD MAN.

Bow low the head—do reverence to the old man, once like you. The vicissitudes of life have silvered his hair and changed the round merry face to the worn visage before you. Once the heart beat with aspiration, crushed by disappointment, as yours, perhaps, is destined to be. Once that form stalked

promptly through the gay scenes of pleasure, the beau ideal of grace: now the hand of time, that withers the flowers of yesterday, has bent that figure and destroyed that noble carriage. Once at your age, he possessed the thousand thoughts that pass through your brain, now wishing to accomplish deeds equal to a nook in fame; anon imagining life a dream that the sooner he awoke from the better. But he has lived the dream very near through; the time to awaken is very near at hand; his eyes never kindles at old deeds of daring, and the hand takes a firmer grasp of the staff. Bow low the head, boy, as you would in your old age be revered.

## TRAMPS WHO DO GOOD.

The story is told of a Pennsylvania tramp who in his wanderings up and down on the earth carries his pockets full of nuts, which he plants as he goes. For three years he has followed this practice, and during that time is said to have planted thousands and thousands of nuts, always seeking the out-of-way spots—rocky hillsides and abandoned lands at the edges of creeks and streams—so that the chances of the trees being destroyed before they grow up and nature will be minimized. This old tramp is doing something more than guaranteeing the future youth of the country against the loss of the joy of nutting. He is setting an example in tree planting which the farmers throughout the land may well follow with profit to themselves and to the country. This nut-planting tramp recalls another member of the wandering tribes. He was known throughout the country as Apple Tree Johnny from his habits of planting apple trees in fence corners and other nooks. Many a wayside fruit tree is said to owe its existence to Apple Tree Johnny.

The first week of circuit court closed last Saturday. During the week a great many cases, none of them very important, were disposed of and stricken from the docket. The cases tried were breach of the peace and misdemeanors. Four out of five in every case tried the defendants were acquitted. This is an evidence that the grand jury waste too much time on little things or else the witnesses tell one story before the grand jury and a different one when the case comes before the court.

Bailed hay for sale. W. O. Pile.  
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## FEAR JACK LONDON IS LOST.

The editors of Woman's Home Companion, for whom Jack London is sailing around the world in his little boat Snark, state that he is now over a month due at Tahiti of the Society Island, for which place he sailed from Hilo, Hawaii, on October 27th.

The gas engine with which the Snark is equipped was not working well when Mr. London left Hawaii, and it is supposed by his publishers that he has experienced some more trouble with it, or that he has encountered the doldrums of the Pacific, by which the little forty-five-foot boat might be buffeted about for days or weeks, to be dropped at length into a sea dead calm. For such are the equatorial doldrums.

London sailed from San Francisco on May 4th and reached Hawaii about a month later. He is accompanied on his voyage around the world by his wife, captain, an engineer, one sailor and two Japanese servants. London expects to spend seven years on his voyage and to sail completely around the world, stopping at interesting places wherever he goes.

## NEW TO THE LINE.

For vivid language, tersely expressed, just listen to this from the Nashville American:

If newspapers without conviction or principle and without good excuse for living, except that a sum of fleeting money has fallen into the spasmodic clutches of ignorance and vanity, desire to pursue a certain policy in the hope that it may prolong life, let them do so, but let them do so without cheap attempts to deceive anybody. The janus-faced newspaper never fooled anything and never kept out of the grave a minute longer by such a policy.

The American battleship fleet has left Rio Janeiro and enter upon what naval men consider the most interesting stage of its long voyage—the one which will take it eventually through the Straits of Magellan. Its next stop will be at Punta Arenas, within the straits, where the Armada will rest for five days. In the voyage through the straits the torpedo boat flotilla will for the first time join the big ship at sea.

## IT DOES THE BUSINESS.

Mr. E. E. Chamberlain, of Clinton, Maine, says of Bucklen's Arnica Salve: "It does the business; I have used it for piles and it cured them. Used it for chapped hands and it cured them. Applied it to an old sore and it healed it without leaving a scar behind." 25c. at T. E. Paul's drug store.

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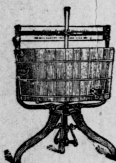
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### MILLTOWN.

The singing at this place conducted by Mr. John Pickett was a success.

Miss Mont Thomas visited Miss Pearl Hindman last week.

Charlie Thomas, who is attending the Lindsey-Wilson, was at home Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. George Rodgers and son, Ed, of Greensburg, were visiting Mrs. Jim Mercer last week.

Mr. Charlie Thomas and family have removed to Mr. John Linley's and Geo. Butler will move in the house he vacated.

Mrs. J. M. Thomas has been visiting Mr. Sam Ed Squires and also daughter, Mrs. Mint Hancock, for the past week.

Corn shucking seems to be the order of the day in this community.

Miss Cattie Squires spent sev-

eral days at Mrs. Liza Thomas' last week.

A large crowd attended the little folks party at Mr. Edd Johnston's Saturday night.

Miss Ruthie Squires is visiting in this community this week.

Misses Emma Thomas and Kate Squires were visiting at Dunnville recently.

Mr. Jim Paul, of Philadelphia, gave a ball in honor of his daughter at which 500 beautiful butterflies gathered in Peru, Brazil, India and elsewhere were turned loose among 200 wonderfully dressed women. The flower bill was \$35,000, the total cost being \$100,000. A New York mother starved to death in order that her babies might have the few crusts obtainable, and died with a smile on her lips when she found her children would be cared for.

### ROWE TOWN.

Wood hauling is the order of the day.

Mr. J. M. Rowe and daughter, Miss Nannie, attended meeting at Antioch Sunday.

Mrs. Uerl Garmon is on the sick list.

Mr. Crit Yates has moved back to his country home.

Mr. J. E. Rowe made a Business trip to Gradyville Saturday.

J. M. Thompson, bought a tract of land from A. D. Patton for the sum of \$200.

Mr. N. R. Roach is doing good business with his gasoline mill.

Mr. Tom Fletcher is numbered with the sick.

Mr. J. M. Rowe and family are now residents of our town.

Bro. James filled his appointment at Mt. Pleasant the third Sunday. We all like to hear Bro. James.

Mrs. H. T. Jessee was buried the 12th, of this month at the Roach burying ground, funeral services conducted by Rev. Bryant Wilson.

Mr. Edd Atkins was calling on N. R. Roach one day last week.

The singing at Mr. N. R. Roach's Saturday night was a success from start to finish.

James Fletcher and family visited at J. E. Rowe's Sunday.

Zonal Jones is going to school at Nell.

There is but little farming going on in this community.

### PURDY.

Court is in session this week and good many attending from this neighborhood.

Health of this community is very good at this writing.

On the 23rd, Mr. R. L. Durham's house, known as the old Damron place, where W. B. Gills lives came very near being destroyed by fire as he was away from home on business and his wife was alone at home at half past eleven o'clock. She heard a roaring and went out in the back yard and discovered a blaze coming out of the chimney about four feet high, but as the wind was blowing it carried the soot that was afire off of the house. She rang the bell but it was so near noon no one came to help and as she came back through the hall she saw a smoke in the parlor and being a double chimney, fire had fallen on the carpet and burned across one width and was almost in the bed.

### PRIMARY ELECTION BILL.

Senator Charleton, of Louisville, has introduced a bill at Frankfort providing for a primary election under state, county and city direction, to be held each year on the first Tuesday in July. All parties must hold primaries on the same day, at the regular polling places. The officers are to be chosen equally from the two parties casting the largest vote at the preceding presidential election. Separate

ballots will be provided for each party. The count and returns are to be made as under the general election law, and the penalties for fraud are the same. To get his name on the ballot in a county primary, for instance, a candidate must file petitions with the county clerk, thirty days prior to the primary, signed by at least 3 per cent of the party vote in at least one-sixth of the election precincts in the county, and each signer pledges himself to support the candidate named and to sign no other petition for the same office.

### CAPITAL PUNISHMENT.

Capital punishment is still practiced in many countries, though of late years, especially in the United States, it has been made as humane as possible. That creation of the French Revolution, the guillotine, is still used by some countries, and the old executioner's ax deals out justice in Brunswick.

The most humane method of execution, the electric chair, is used only in the United States.

Spain employs the garrote, or iron collar, which is tightened until the victim strangles to death; and in Prussia the heads of prisoners are struck off with the sword. The guillotine is used in Bavaria and Belgium, and Russia destroys her criminals by shooting, hanging and with the executioner's sword. The galows is the means of administering death in Great Britain Austria has adopted the same means, but Chinese criminals are killed by the sword.—Ex.

### AN OLD PIECE OF TOBACCO.

Mr. Geo. R. Akin, who lives at Sparksville, this county, has in his possession a piece of manufactured tobacco forty-five years old. It was secured in Richmond, Va., by Mr. Jo Russell of this place, who was a soldier in the Federal army, in 1864. Mr. Russell kept in his possession during his life time and after his death it was given Mr. Akin by Dr. C. M. Russell, who is a son of the late Mr. Jo Russell.

### Rank Foolishness.

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### ALL SORTS.

Drunkards are maintained in the county prison at West Chester, Pa., by a tax fund derived from dogs.

Fritz Zeiger, 11-year-old boy of Evansville, Ind., fell into a kettle of hot sausage and fatally burned.

The Illinois Central has discontinued all of its freights from Sunday service except those hauling perishable goods.

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## WITH OUR CORRESPONDENTS

Week's Happenings—News Important or Otherwise as Reported By Our Corps of Correspondents.

### GRADYVILLE.

The last few days has been the coldest weather of the season.

Rufus Pulliam of Nell, was here on business one day last week.

Messrs. Green Rodgers and his son, King, were here last Friday on business.

Robert O. Keltner and wife, were visiting in the community of Cool Spring the first of the week.

Mrs. Charlie Yates and Mrs. Cattie Nell, were on the sick list a few days of last week.

We are glad to note that the little boy of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Wilson has recovered from his attack of croup.

Miss Mollie Flowers of the L. W. T. School of Columbia spent Saturday and Sunday at home in our city.

Mr Sam Hill one of Hickory Ridge's, best citizens was in our midst the first of the week.

Mr. R. L. Caldwell, of Milltown community, was with us one day last week and informed us that the farmers in his section were moving along nicely with their work.

Mr. Thomas Gowen, conducted services at Cool Spring church last Sunday.

Dr. W. T. Grissom of Columbia, was called to see Jack Napier of this community, one day last week, who is confined with pneumonia fever.

Miss Sallie Diddle of Columbia, is visiting the family of Mr. J. A. Diddle of our city this week.

Mr. Perry Hutchison the well known produce man of Columbia, made our town last Monday and cleaned up the town in the way of produce, paying satisfactory prices.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Wilmore, entertained a few of their friends one day last week.

Miss Callie Fesse of Columbia, is visiting her sister Mrs. Mark Wilson at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Nell, visited their brother, Burton Yates and family, near Joppa, a day or so of last week.

Rev. J. C. Cook of Columbia, filled his appointment here last Saturday and Sunday with very interesting discourses.

On the first Sunday in February it being Rev. W. H. C. Sandidge appointment at Union, before preaching, Mr. Turner of Columbia, will deliver a lecture on Sunday school work, we understand his lectures are very interesting. Everybody invited to attend.

Mr. Curt Stephen who has been living at McGregor, Texas, for the past year was in our midst one day last week and informed us that all the Adair county people that lived near that place and especially those that went from this town were getting a long nicely and about all satisfied. Mr. Stephen thinks there is no better place than the Lone Star State to make money, if the season comes around all O. K. you certainly can coin it. He says while you make consider-

able money what you have to buy cost you high, notwithstanding all of this, he don't think he will be satisfied with the old Kentucky soil especially to till it. Perhaps he will return to McGregor, before the April showers.

Last Saturday at high noon the fire alarm was turned on in our city and to our great surprise the large tobacco and feed barn of Keltner Bros. was on fire, to far gone to be saved by the bucket brigade. The situation of this building was very close to their dwelling and business houses and it took cool and deliberate work of over fifty men to save the other building. The day was very favorable for us to have the fire. How the fire originated is a problem that we are not able to solve just now. However there is no question in the minds of the people but what this building taken fire in the northeast corner of the upper story where there was a stack of fodder and there had been no one there from early morning. The barn contained about 25 bushels of wheat of Diddle and Parson and 17 or 18 barrels of corn belonging to Dr. S. A. Taylor formerly of this place, with all of Keltner Bros feed for winter. The loss is supposed to be about one thousand dollars with four hundred dollars insurance. If the fire had occurred the day before it did there would not been a business house and but few dwellings left, the way the wind blew the day before it would of been impossible to save any.

### OKARK.

Farmers are very busy, some have been plowing for corn.

Revs. W. F. Chapel and Phips closed a ten days meeting at Oak Grove last week. Much interest was manifested.

Will Judd, one of our Ozark boys, has gone to Columbia and is working in J. S. Stapp's livery stable.

Luther Montgomery and family visited his mother at Joppa last Saturday.

Mrs. Luther Bryant and sister Sarah were at Adaline Blakey's one day last week.

Mrs. James Combest and daughter, Miss Montie, were visiting at A. M. Floyd's, of Gentry Mill, one day last week.

N. A. McKinley has lost some hogs from cholera.

The chicken-pox has made a sweep through this section, but all the children have about recovered.

S. J. Combest visited his brother, near Milltown, last week.

Miss Myrtie Combest has been on the sick list for the last few days.

Preaching, at Shiloh Saturday night and Sunday by F. J. Barger.

Luther Young and Albert Bryant have entered the L. W. T. S.

F. P. Bryant, who has been in bad health for sometime, has about recovered.

Some of our boys do not have any business at Columbia while

the grand jury is in session. It is very common to hear a number of pistol shots at night meetings. We hope that the grand jury may find the guilty parties. It seems that some of our boys have got more cartridges than brains.

### ELLER.

Rev. J. S. Smith preached an interesting sermon at Clear Spring Sunday.

Jesse Ford is visiting his brother at Coolidge, Ky., this week.

Jonah Kelsay, of Wesley, was here on business Tuesday.

Gus Snyder, who has been living at J. C. Ford's for some time, left for his old home in Newport, Ky., last Sunday.

Mr. L. D. Stephens was at Jabez on business last Tuesday.

A. L. Foley and B. G. Wilson returned from a business trip to Burnside and Somerset, Sunday.

Mrs. A. L. Gosser bought two barrels of corn of J. R. McQueary last week at \$2.50 per barrel.

B. E. Foley was in Jamestown on business Monday.

Prof. B. A. Coffey conducted a very interesting singing at Clear Spring Sunday night.

Rufus George left Tuesday for Bedford, Ind.

### RUSSELL SPRINGS.

Rufus George who has been away for some months, is now at home.

Eller, the little daughter of F. W. Wade, is quite ill.

A brother of our barber, Cleo Sherrell, was visiting here last week.

A new telephone line from J. C. Poppewell's residence to J. E. Snow's has been completed.

The inside work on the brick buildings is going on rapidly.

A number of young folk here took the examination at Jamestown Friday and Saturday. This examination was held for the benefit of public school pupils.

Rev. B. F. Vails has about completed his new residence.

Judging from the appearance of things at the Academy, the buildings will have to be enlarged. The school is enjoying the largest attendance in its history. All departments are increasing steadily.

## Women Inclined to Constipation

Women, owing to their peculiar functions, are prone to constipation, and many of their other ills are due to this congestion in the bowels which fills the blood with impure matter that permeates the entire system. In most cases foul breath, bad complexion, sick headache and such like ills are primarily caused by constipation or indigestion.

Women should be happy to learn of a remedy that cures constipation and indigestion, and that has such other ingredients as purify the blood and tone up all the digestive organs. This remedy is Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, which can be bought at any drug store for 50 cents or \$1 a bottle. Women have been curing themselves with this remedy for sixteen years, and the offer of years ago still stands to-day, that you buy Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin with the understanding that it will do as claimed or your money will be refunded.

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